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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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TGW-0202

Application No.  
10/663,673-Conf. #2468

Filing Date  
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Examiner  
M. G. Arancibia

Art Unit  
1763

Applicant(s): Hiroya KIRIMURA et al.

Invention: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR FORMING A THIN FILM

### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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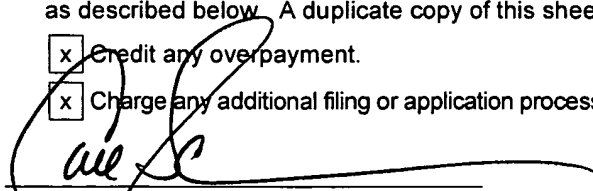
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

**Mail Stop Amendment**

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**I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated January 4, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1, 4 and 16-23 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 1 and 20 are amended.

**II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS**

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

**III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

(There are no amendments to the specification)